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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This is a response to the Restriction Requirement of August 13, 2008. Applicant elects without traverse to prosecute the species identified as Figures 3-8, in which claims 3-5, 9, 11-13 and 16-18 read thereon, as well as the generic claims indicated by the Examiner as being claims 1-2, 6, 8 and 15.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this application is requested. If the Examiner notes any minor errors, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned so that the matter can be promptly handled by Examiner's amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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